

House File 294 - Introduced

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A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to child care provider reimbursement rates
2 under the state child care assistance program.
3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

1 Section 1. CHILD CARE PROVIDER REIMBURSEMENT RATES. For the
2 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, for child care providers
3 reimbursed under the state child care assistance program,
4 the department shall set provider reimbursement rates based
5 on the rate reimbursement survey completed in December 2014.
6 The department shall set rates in a manner so as to provide
7 incentives for a nonregistered provider to become registered
8 by applying the increase only to registered and licensed
9 providers.

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EXPLANATION

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The inclusion of this explanation does not constitute agreement with
the explanation's substance by the members of the general assembly.

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This bill requires the department of human services to set
child care provider reimbursement rates under the state child
care assistance program based on the rate reimbursement survey
completed in December 2014. The department shall set rates
in a manner so as to provide incentives for a nonregistered
provider to become registered by applying the increase only to
registered and licensed providers.